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FROM NEA/ARN

E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: OREP

SUBJECT: VISIT OF CODEL SIKES

REF: BAGHDAD 1749

1. WE APPRECIATED YOUR ANALYSIS OF EVENTS DURING CODEL SIKES VISIT AND SHARE YOUR DISAPPOINTMENT THAT THE GOI WAS UNABLE TO GATHER ITS FORCES AND RISE TO THE OCCASION.
2. CONGRESSMAN SOLARZ (HIRC MEMBER) AND CONGRESSMAN SIMON (HOUSE BUDGET COMMITTEE MEMBER) HAVE BOTH INFORMALLY INQUIRED ABOUT POSSIBLE VISITS TO IRAQ IN OCTOBER AND NOVEMBER RESPECTIVELY. IN THE EVENT THAT THESE VISITS ARE SCHEDULED, IT WOULD BE VERY HELPFUL IF YOU COULD, AT YOUR DISCRETION, FOLLOW-UP WITH INVOLVED GOI OFFICIALS TO LEARN WHAT ACTUALLY TRANSPIRED RE CODEL SIKES.

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3. WE WOULD ALSO APPRECIATE HAVING YOUR SUGGESTIONS ABOUT WHAT MORE WE COULD DO HERE TO FACILITATE AND SUPPORT SUCH VISITS IN THE FUTURE. CHRISTOPHER

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